

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION--ABSTRACT

Please amend the Abstract as follows:

A welding implement includes ~~comprising~~ a torch having a flexible torch head. The torch head is operable to conduct electricity to a welding electrode disposed within the torch head. The welding implement may include ~~comprise~~ a gas supply tube and a coiled wire spring operable to flexibly couple the gas supply tube to the torch head. The welding implement may include ~~comprise~~ a torch that directs a fluid to flow axially through a spring coupled the torch head. The welding implement may also include ~~comprise~~ a torch including ~~comprising~~ a torch head and a tripod support system to flexibly support the torch head. Each of the legs of the tripod support system may include ~~comprise~~ a spring.